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9 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
10 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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12 EDWARD “COACH” WEINHAUS,
13 Plaintiff,

14 v.

15 REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA,
16 Defendant.
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Case No. 2:25-cv-00262 JFW (ASx)

**DECLARATION OF MATTHEW
W. BURRIS IN SUPPORT OF
DEFENDANT THE REGENTS OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA'S MOTION TO
DISMISS**

Date: May 5, 2025
Time: 1:30 p.m.

Judge: John F. Walter
Mag. Judge: Alka Sagar
Crtrm.: 7A
Trial Date: Not Set

20 I, Matthew W. Burris, declare as follows:
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22 1. I am an associate in Quarles & Brady LLP, attorneys of record for THE
23 REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA in the above-entitled matter,
24 and am licensed to practice before this Court. I have personal knowledge of the
25 following facts and, if called as a witness, could and would testify competently
26 thereto.

27 2. On March 6, 2025, I met and conferred with Plaintiff and his co-
28 counsel, Mr. Adam Florek, regarding Defendant's motion to dismiss. In advance of

1 our teleconference, I provided a written outline of the arguments Defendant
2 anticipated making via this motion to dismiss, as well as the authorities relied on. A
3 true and correct copy of this written correspondence is attached hereto as **Exhibit E**.

4 3. This teleconference lasted approximately 20 minutes. During our
5 teleconference, we exchanged our respective views on those arguments.

6 4. Ultimately, we were not able to reach agreement through our meet and
7 confer efforts, and accordingly, Defendant proceeded with its motion.

8 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California
9 that the foregoing is true and correct.

10 Executed on this 17th day of March, 2025, at San Diego, California.

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12 /s/ Matthew M. Burris
13 Matthew W. Burris
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